

# PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 14 Apr 58		2. LOCATION Denton, Nebraska		12. CONCLUSIONS  <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon  <input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft  <input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical  <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 15/0220Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		6. SOURCE Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 1-2 mins		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one			
		9. COURSE NE-SE returning			
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Rnd obj at a distance. Oval close up & head on. At a distance the size of a tennis ball. Length of a cabin plane fm a side view. At a distance-red, close up silver white w/red light. Red light was blinking.				11. COMMENTS Probably a/c.	

(6) NONE

H. N/A

I. N/A

J. DURING THE PERIOD 0230Z TO 0303Z 15 APRIL, ONE C-47, TWO KC-97'S, THREE B-47'S DEPARTED LINCOLN AFB. ONE C-45, ONE B-47 ARRIVED LINCOLN AB.

K. PREPARING OFFICER IS CAPTAIN LORENZO H. HERRING JR, CHIEF OF MISSION SUPPORT, 98TH BOMB WING INTELLIGENCE DIVISION. THE PREPARING OFFICER BELIEVES THAT THESE PEOPLE SAW AN AIRCRAFT OR POSSIBLY SEVERAL DIFFERENT AIRCRAFT AND THE UPPER RED FLASHING LIGHT WAS THE BRIGHT LIGHT THEY SAW. THEY DID MENTION SEEING AND HEARING FOUR JETS TAKE OFF AFTER THE THIRD AND FINAL APPEARANCE OF THE OBJECT THEY WERE WATCHING. THE DESCRIPTION OF THE LAST

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APPEARANCE OF THE OBJECT COULD BE THE B-47 THAT LANDED AT 0247Z. THE THINGS THAT IMPRESSED THEM MOST WAS THE EXTREME BRIGHTNESS OF THE LIGHTS.

L. N/A

BT

16/0205Z APR RJEDGD

*checked. No UFO reports from Radar in GoC that fit the other info. 5 reports S.W. of area at that time. They report nothing unusual seen.*

*See similar case of a few days ago. B-47 either accidentally or deliberately turned on its landing lights at high altitude!*  
TRAB A/C



(2) N/A

(3) N/A

D. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING:

(1) 0220Z TO 0300Z, 15 APRIL 1953.

(2) CLEAR NIGHT.

E. LOCATION OF OBSERVERS WAS ABOUT TWO AND ONE HALF MILES EAST OF DENTON, NEBRASKA, APPROXIMATE POSITION IS FORTY DEGREES FORTY SIX MINUTES NORTH, NINETY SEVEN DEGREES TEN MINUTES WEST.

F. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION ON OBSERVERS:

(1) (A) [REDACTED], AGE FORTY SIX, [REDACTED] ST, LINCOLN NEBRASKA, MAILCARRIER.

(B) [REDACTED] S, HOUSEWIFE, SAME ADDRESS.

(C) [REDACTED] S, 16, STUDENT, SAME ADDRESS.

(D) [REDACTED] S, 9, STUDENT, SAME ADDRESS.

G. WEATHER AND WINDS-ALOFT CONDITIONS AT TIME AND PLACE OF SIGHTING.

*Note*

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(1) INVERSION NINE TO TEN THOUSAND FEET.

(A) SIX M FEET

190 DEGREES/5 KNOTS

(B) TEN M FEET

20 DEGREES/5 KNOTS

(C) 15 M FEET

20 DEGREES/5 KNOTS

(D) 20 M FEET

30 DEGREES/20 KNOTS

(E) 30 M FEET

50 DEGREES/35 KNOTS

(3) CVR.

(4) 15 MILES

(5) NONE

(6) NONE

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(7) N/A.

(8) DESCRIBED AS A WHIRRING NOISE OF TWO PROPELLOR DRIVEN ENGINES WITHOUT EXHAUST NOISE, ON ITS OUTBOUND TRACK OF ITS THIRD APPEARANCE.

(9) RED OBJECT WAS BLINKING.

B. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECT:

(1) BRIGHT RED COLOR.

(2) ABOUT A FORTY DEGREE ANGLE IN THE NORTHWEST.

(3) FIFTY DEGREE ANGLE GOING EAST.

(4) SIGHTED OBJECT GOING NORTHWEST AND THEN RETURNING SOUTHEAST TWICE, DISSAPPEARING AND REAPPEARING, AS IF VIEW WAS BLOCKED BY HILLS IN AREA. THIRD TIME SIGHTED OBJECT SUDEENLY APPEARED, MADE A RIGHT ANGLE TURN, THEN A BURST OF SPEED AND EVERYTHING WENT BLACK.

(5) DESCRIBED AS GOING EAST, SEEMED TO SPEED UP AND SUDDENLY TURN LIGHT OFF. THE OBSERVERS SAID IT SEEMED LIKE A LOW FLYING AIRCRAFT AS IT DISAPPEARED.

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(6) ONE-TWO MINUTES FOR EACH OF THE THREE SIGHTINGS DURING A TWENTY MINUTE PERIOD.

C. MANNER OF OBSERVATION:

(1) GROUND VISUAL.

(2) N/A

(3) N/A

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(1) 2220Z TO 0300Z, 15 APRIL 1958.

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Multi

B/0220-70 0300Z

Prob A/C

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SQD266 YMA222AGDA206

PP RJEDSQ RJEDDN RJEPHQ RJWFAM

DE RJEDGD 3

P 160135Z

FM COMDRADIV 818

TO RJEDDN/COMDR ADC ENT

RJWFAM/COMDRADIV 20

RJEDSQ/COMDR ATIC

RJEPHQ/ASST CHIEF OF STAFF HQ USAF INTELLIGENCE WASH 25 DC

RJEPHQ/OFFICE OF INFORMATION SERVICES HQ USAF WASH 25 DC

BT

/UNCLAS/98DOI 4-825. SUBJECT: UFO.

A. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT:

- (1) ROUND AT A DISTANCE. OVAL CLOSE UP AND HEAD ON.
- (2) AT A DISTANCE THE SIZE OF A TENNIS BALL. CLOSE UP, DESCRIBED ONLY AS LARGE WITH THE RED LIGHTS THE SIZE OF AN ORDINARY ALARM CLOCK..ALSO DESCRIBED AS THE LENGTH OF A CABIN PLANE FROM THE SIDE VIEW.
- (3) AT A DISTANCE: RED. CLOSE UP: SILVER WHITE WITH RED LIGHT.
- (4) ONE.

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